

EXHIBIT A

**Department of
Veterans Affairs**

Memorandum

Date: May 15, 2018

From: Interview Panel

Subject: Recommendation for Veterans Law Judge, Announcement VA-VLJ-18-10130267-NE

To: Chairman, Board of Veterans' Appeals

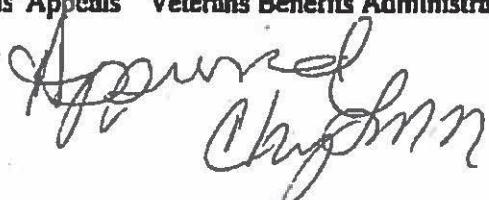
1. On May 8 and 9, 2018, the undersigned panel members met to interview the 26 candidates recommended by the screening panel for the eight vacancies in the above-referenced announcement.
2. Below is our unanimous ranking of candidates for your further review and consideration:

1. Cynthia Skow
2. Lauren Cryan
3. [REDACTED]
4. [REDACTED]
5. [REDACTED]
6. Evan Deichert
7. [REDACTED]
8. William Donnelly
9. (b) (6) [REDACTED]
10. [REDACTED]
11. [REDACTED]
12. [REDACTED]
13. [REDACTED]
14. [REDACTED]
15. [REDACTED]
16. [REDACTED]
17. [REDACTED]
18. [REDACTED]
19. [REDACTED]
20. [REDACTED]
21. [REDACTED]
22. [REDACTED]
23. [REDACTED]
24. [REDACTED]
25. [REDACTED]
26. [REDACTED]


Kimberly E. M. Osborne
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Antione L. Walker
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[REDACTED] Chapman

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VLI Interviews-
Tuesday, MAY 8

8:00AM	(b) (6)	
8:30AM		
9:00AM		
9:30AM	Lauren Cryan - CONFIRMED	
10:00AM	Evan Deichert - CONFIRMED	
10:30AM	William Donnelly - CONFIRMED	
11:00AM	(b) (6)	
11:30AM		
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch	
1:00PM	(b) (6)	
1:30PM		
2:00PM		
2:30PM		
3:00PM		
3:30PM		
4:00PM		

(b) (6)

Wednesday, MAY 9

10:00AM	(b) (6)	
10:30AM		
11:00AM		
11:30AM		
12:00PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00PM	Cynthia Skow - CONFIRMED	
1:30PM	(b) (6)	
2:00PM		
2:30PM		
3:00PM		
3:30PM		
4:00PM		

Recommended VLJ Candidates

1. **Cynthia Skow**
2. **Lauren Cryan**
3. **(b) (6)**
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5. **(b) (6)**
6. **Evan Deichart**
7. **(b) (6)**
8. **William Donnelly**